## House Resolution No. 4134

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to recognize those Show-Me State organizations which have established an exceptional program of service to the residents of area neighborhoods and communities; and

Whereas, the Boys and Girls Club of Springfield will celebrate the Grand Re-Opening of the Musgrave Unit on June 6, 2007, at 720 South Park Street, adjacent to Zagonji Park, in Springfield, Missouri; and

Whereas, built in 1973, the Musgrave Unit provides a vital service to families in surrounding neighborhoods; and

Whereas, the Boys and Girls Club of Springfield serves approximately 250 youth per day, a majority of whom come from single parent families, many of which have incomes of less than \$15,000, and depend on the Boys and Girls Club of Springfield for affordable, quality care for their children; and

Whereas, the location of the facility meets a critical need and the new renovations have allowed for an expansion complete with a technology center, restrooms, game area, meeting room, conference room, learning rooms, a new main entrance with lobby improvements, handicap accessible upgrades, and general building modernization; and

Whereas, the Boys and Girls Club of Springfield strives to build good citizens everyday through leadership and guidance in behavior and attitude and works from a vision to inspire and enable all youth to realize their full potential as productive, responsible, and caring citizens; and

Whereas, the Boys and Girls Club of Springfield is a place where young people of all nationalities, races, and creeds join together in wholesome recreation and companionship:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the Grand Re-Opening of the Boys and Girls Club Musgrave Unit and to convey to all those involved this legislative body's heartiest best wishes for success in all future endeavors; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for the Boys and Girls Club of Springfield, Missouri.

Offered by

Representative Bob Dixon District No. 140

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 4134, adopted June 27, 2007.